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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GENERATING

AND RECOGNIZING SPEECH AS A USER INTERFACE ELEMENT IN SYSTEMS AND

NETWORK MANAGEMENT

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 31, 2006 (the "Office Action"), Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following Amendments thereto and the comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows.